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In re Application of
William Begell et al.
Serial Number: 10/082,065
Filed: February 26, 2002
For: PULSE ENERGY TRANSFORMATION

PETITION UNDER
M.P.E.P. 708.02 IV

This is in response to the petition filed August 21, 2003, requesting that the above-identified application be granted Special Status under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.102(c) (**no fee required**).

The request for Special Status considered under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP is granted because criteria under 37 CFR 1.102(c) has been met.

Accordingly the petition is **GRANTED**.

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Atty. Docket No. 12063/11

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

W. BEGELL ET AL.

Appl. No. 10/082,065 /

Filed: February 26, 2002

For: PULSE ENERGY
TRANSFORMATION

Art Unit: TO BE ASSIGNED

Examiner: TO BE ASSIGNED

Petition to Make Special Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.102(c), Applicants hereby petition to make special the above-captioned application. The grounds for granting this application special status are found in MPEP §708.02(IV) entitled "Applicant's Age." As provided in MPEP § 708.02, Applicants agree to the special examining procedure detailed therein.

In support of this Petition, Applicants submit a statement from co-inventor William Begell and a copy of Mr. Begell's passport attesting to the propriety of this petition.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.102, it is believed that no fee is due. However, if any fee is deemed to be due in association with this petition, the Office is respectfully requested to charge the appropriate petition fee to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this page is submitted.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Petition to Make Special be granted and the application undergo accelerated examination. The Office is invited to contact the undersigned to discuss any question or concern regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

By:

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Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: Not Known

Statement in Support of Petition to Make Special Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102

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Sir:

In support of the Petition to Make Special under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c), filed on an even date herewith, attached is a copy of my passport showing 1928 as the year of birth. Accordingly, it is believed that the instant application fulfills the requirements of MPEP § 708.02(IV) for expedited examination procedure as at least one of the co-inventors is 65 years of age or older.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 8/21/03

By:


William Begell
Co-inventor of Application No. 10/082,065

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The Secretary of State
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hereby requests all whom it may concern to permit the citizens/
national of the United States named herein to pass
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Le Secrétaire d'Etat
des Etats-Unis d'Amerique
prie par les présentes toutes autorités compétentes de laisser passer
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